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IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: M. YOKOYAMA, et al.

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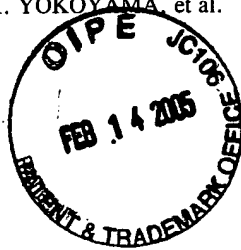
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TRANSMITTED HEREWITH IS AN [X] AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.312, [] REPLY, [] AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION.

[] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

[] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

[X] No additional fee is required.

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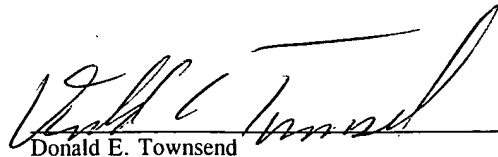
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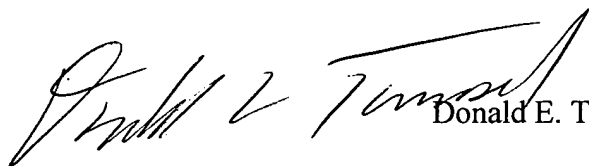


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